Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the subject application.

Listing of Claims:

1-10. (canceled)

- 11. (currently amended) A plug connector arrangement, comprising:
 - a fixed housing having a latching element and a cam projection projections;

a moveable housing having an two actuation slide means, each of the actuation slide means has a having ramp-like grooves that receives receive the cam projection projections to actuate the moveable housing toward the fixed housing and into engagement therewith, each of the actuation slide means having a toothed rack with which a pinion region of a pivotal lever engages in order to displace the actuation slide means, the at least two actuation slide means being of mirror-symmetrical construction and being displaceable in the same direction; and

resilient latching hooks integrally formed with the actuation slide means on free ends of cut-out spring arms, the resilient latching hooks being arranged at an introductory region of the ramp-like grooves and projecting into the ramp-like grooves, a latching device which the resilient latching hooks co-operating-co-operates with the latching element projections to hold the moveable housing in position relative to the fixed housing before actuation.

12-16. (canceled)

17.	(currently amended)	The plug connector arrangement of claim 11, wherein each of the
ramp-l	like grooves is formed	as a web integrally formed on a surface of the actuation slide
means	•	

- 18. (canceled)
- 19. (currently amended) The plug connector arrangement of claim 11, wherein the actuation slide means is are displaceable in a direction transverse to a direction of movement of the moveable housing toward the fixed housing.
- 20. (currently amended) The plug connector arrangement of claim 19, wherein the <u>resilient</u> latching <u>device hooks are</u> movable substantially parallel to the direction of displacement of the actuation slide means.
- 21. (canceled)
- 22. (original) The plug connector arrangement of claim 11, wherein the moveable housing is a socket housing having receptacle contacts and the fixed housing is a plug housing having pluggable contacts.
- 23-25. (canceled)